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## House Resolution No. 848

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives hold in high esteem those Show-Me State students who have admirably dedicated their lives and energy to assisting others; and

Whereas, Lea Ruppert is a senior at Francis Howell High School and the recipient of a President's Volunteer Service Award from the Prudential Spirit of Community awards program in cooperation with the President's Council in 2005; and

Whereas, selected on the basis of her community service, Lea Ruppert is president of the Community Service Program at Francis Howell High School; and

**Whereas**, during a two-week period last year, Lea Ruppert organized her school's Red Cross Blood Drive which collected seventy pints; and

Whereas, now in its tenth year, the Prudential Spirit of Community Awards is a nationwide program honoring young people for outstanding acts of volunteerism; and

Whereas, the Prudential Spirit of Community Awards are sponsored by Prudential Financial companies, which offer a variety of insurance, mutual funds, retirement, and other related products and services, and the National Association of Secondary School Principals, the preeminent organization and national voice for middle level and high school principals, assistant principals, and aspiring school leaders:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, join unanimously to applaud the selection of Lea Ruppert for a President's Volunteer Service Award by the 2005 Prudential Spirit of Community Awards program on behalf of the President's Council and to convey this legislative body's heartiest congratulations and best wishes for continued personal and academic success for many more years to come; and

**Be it further resolved** that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution in honor of Lea Ruppert of Francis Howell High School.

Offered by	
Represent	tative Joe Smith
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Ninety-third General certify that the above	er of the House of Representatives, Assembly, First Regular Session, do e is a true and correct copy of House adopted March 3, 2005.
Rod Jetton, Speaker	